

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1, 4, 11, 14, 21 and 24 as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, now read as follows:

1. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus having a generation function of generating print data to be transmitted to a printer; comprising:

a first display an entire print setting unit configured to display a first setting screen to set an entire color mode defining a color mode to be applied to the entire document data as a setting value for an item to set a color mode;

a second display partial print setting unit configured to display a second setting screen to set a partial color mode defining the color mode to be applied to a predetermined unit of the document data, wherein the second [[as a]] setting screen is different from value for the first setting screen item; and

a print data generating unit configured to generate [[the]] print data so that a [[the]] printer prints a printed print material on which the partial color mode defined by the partial color mode is applied to the predetermined unit and the entire color mode defined by the entire color mode is applied to the remaining portion of the document data to [[for]] which the partial color mode is not applied when the entire color mode is set in accordance with an instruction input via the first setting screen displayed by said first display unit and the partial color mode is set in accordance with an instruction input via the second setting screen displayed by said second display unit, wherein both the entire color mode and the partial color mode are set as the setting value for the item.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Previously presented) The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the predetermined unit of the document data is a chapter formed by a plurality of original pages.

4. (Currently amended) The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said printing data generating unit determines whether the printer copes with a change of the color mode before the print data containing the instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using a [[the]] generating function to generate the print data, when the printer copes with the change, generates, by using the generating function, printing data containing the instruction of changing the color mode, and when the printer does not cope with the change, generates, by using the generating function, print data containing no instruction of changing the color mode.

5. to 10. (Canceled)

11. (Currently amended) A print data generating method having a generating function of generating print data to be transmitted to a printer; comprising:

a first display an entire print setting step of displaying a first setting screen an entire color mode to be applied to the entire document data as a setting value for an item to set an entire a color mode defining a color mode to be applied to a the entire document data;

a second display a partial print setting step of displaying a second setting screen to set a partial color mode defining the color mode to be applied to a predetermined unit of the

document data, wherein the second setting screen is different from the first [[as a]] setting screen value for the item; and

a print data generating step of generating [[the]] print data so that a [[the]] printer prints a printed print material on which the partial color mode defined by the partial color mode is applied to the predetermined unit and the entire color mode defined by the entire color mode is applied to the remaining portion of the document data to [[for]] which the partial color mode is not applied when the entire color mode is set in accordance with an instruction input via the first setting screen displayed in said first display step and the partial color mode is set in accordance with an instruction input via the second setting screen displayed in said second display step; wherein both the entire color mode and the partial color mode are set as the setting value for the item.

12. (Canceled)

13. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 11, wherein the predetermined unit of the document data is a chapter formed by a plurality of original pages.

14. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 11, wherein, in the print data generating step, whether the printer copes with a change of the color mode is determined before the print data containing the instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using a [[the]] generating function to generate the print data, when the printer copes with the change, print data containing the instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using the

generating function, and when the printer does not cope with the change, print data containing no instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using the generating function.

15. to 20. (Canceled)

21. (Currently amended) A computer-readable medium storing a printing control program, which causes a computer to perform a print data generating method having a generating function of generating print data to be transmitted to a printer, said method comprising:

a first display an entire print setting step of displaying a first display screen to set setting an entire color mode defining a color mode to be applied to the entire document data as a setting value for an item to set a color mode;

a second display partial print setting step of displaying a second setting screen to set a partial color mode defining the color mode to be applied to a predetermined unit of the document data, wherein the second setting screen is different from the first setting screen as a setting value for the item; and

a print data generating step of generating [[the]] print data so that a [[the]] printer prints a printed [[print]] material on which the partial-color mode defined by the partial color mode is applied to the predetermined unit and the entire-color mode defined by the entire color mode is applied to the remaining portion of the document data to [[for]] which the partial color mode is not applied when the entire color mode is set in accordance with an instruction input via the first setting screen displayed in said first display step and the partial color mode is set in accordance with an instruction input via the second setting screen displayed in said second

display step, wherein both the entire color mode and the partial color mode are set as the setting value for the item.

22. (Canceled)

23. (Previously presented) The computer-readable medium storing a printing control program according to claim 21, wherein the predetermined unit of the document data is a chapter formed by a plurality of original pages.

24. (Currently amended) The computer-readable medium storing a printing control program according to claim 21, wherein in the print data generating step, whether the printer copes with a change of the color mode is determined before the print data containing the instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using a [[the]] generating function to generate the print data, when the printer copes with the change, print data containing the instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using the generating function, and when the printer does not cope with the change, print data containing no instruction of changing the color mode is generated by using the generating function.

25. to 30. (Canceled)

31. (Previously presented) The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the entire color mode is set for specifying whether color printing or monochrome printing is performed for the entire document data, and the partial color mode is set for specifying whether color printing or monochrome printing is performed for the predetermined unit of the document data.

32. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 11, wherein the entire color mode is set for specifying whether color printing or monochrome printing is performed for the entire document data, and the partial color mode is set for specifying whether color printing or monochrome printing is performed for the predetermined unit of the document data.

33. (Previously presented) The computer-readable medium storing a printing control program according to claim 21, wherein the entire color mode is set for specifying whether color printing or monochrome printing is performed for the entire document data, and the partial color mode is set for specifying whether color printing or monochrome printing is performed for the predetermined unit of the document data.